Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Bernard A. Nelson was born on April 6, 1918, in Sawyer County, Wisconsin, and was educated in Hayward, Wisconsin, at the University of Wisconsin and the University of Minnesota; and,

WHEREAS, Bernie and his wife, Polly, were married in 1949 and were blessed with four children; and,

WHEREAS, Bernie and Polly built, owned and operated the Bridgeview Trailer Park in 1953; and,

WHEREAS, Bernie returned from Canada, after a seven year leave of absence, and established Bridgeview Realty in 1968; and,

WHEREAS, Bernie has served dutifully as President of the Central Board of Realtors, as Chairman of Private Property Week and has been elected as "Realtor of the Year" during his operation of Bridgeview Realty; and,

WHEREAS, Bernie, a very caring, compassionate person, loves people, life and enjoys doing things for others; and,

WHEREAS, The Central Board of Realtors acknowledges Bernie as "Realtor for a Day":

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Thursday, June 25, 1987, as

BERNIE NELSON DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with the Central Board of Realtors in recognizing Bernie's many accomplishments..

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-third Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Seven

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

THOMAS G. [illegible], DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE